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Term 4 Week 6 19 November 2018

Rule of the Week: Be Respectful

Values: Respect Cooperation Democracy

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

A 2019 PARENT OPPORTUNITY

Each year the staff at SSPS participate Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) first aid training. Some community members have indicated that they would be interested in completing this training.

If there is enough interest, the school is willing to organise the Royal Life Saving Society - NSW Branch to train a parent and community group. The details of online and face-to-face training are below:

SSPS will organise a non-accredited award - the term 'non-accredited' often throws people, but this just means that there is not a formal unit associated with the course. The certificate is valid for 12 months.

We are offering you the chance to complete a Resuscitation Course – Online + Assessment

- Online learning prior to course and then 1 hour in duration practical assessment
- \$25.00 per head + shared participant trainer fee (no minimum participants required)

Where?at Strathfield South Public School

When?early Term 1 2019, either at 9am or 2pm for the face to face training

Who?SSPS parents will take priority but community interest is encouraged should we have space, so share with your family members and friends

Are you interested? If so, please email the school strathfies-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au. We will create a database of interest and start organising.

PREMIER'S SPORTING CHALLENGE

Congratulations to all our students who completed the 2018 Premier's Sporting Challenge. We are

one of 1 600 schools who participated in promoting a healthier, more active lifestyle amongst our students. Thank you to all our parents who have encouraged their children to participate and our staff who have once again organised such an important life-long learning opportunity. A special certificate will be displayed on our community noticeboards.

Have a wonderful week of learning everyone. It was great to see some of you at our last Kindergarten Orientation this morning.

Karen Mortimer
Principal

Enrol Now!

IT'S TIME TO ENROL FOR 2019

If you have not done so already, it is time to enrol your child for Kindergarten 2019. We have commenced interviews for all 'in area' and 'out of area' students.

Spaces are LIMITED for 'out of area' enrolments for 2019, so please let friends, neighbours and relatives know to complete enrolment documentation immediately to be considered.

If you live 'out of area', but have siblings at our school already, you must complete the 'out of area' paperwork to be accepted for enrolment in 2019. Siblings have high consideration but the paperwork must be in order.

Please see the office for further details.

KidsMatter

BounceBack!-Success

Helping your child to experience success

Teaching your child how to set goals and achieve them by making a plan, working hard, solving problems and not giving up helps them to build life skills that are important for their future. These life skills build their self-confidence and motivation and the ability to persist when they find things difficult. An important starting point is to help your child identify their particular character strengths or personal attributes like being brave or kind, or

being a hard worker or a good organiser. Abilities and strengths are things that they do well such as writing stories, drawing cartoons, playing sport, playing a musical instrument or understanding and working with animals.

Key messages to communicate to your child about being successful

- Stick with it and don't give up.
- Mistakes help you to learn.
- No one is good at everything. Everyone has different strengths.
- Always make a plan.
- Remember to try hard and work hard.
- Have a go and believe in yourself.
- Try to be well organised.

What can you do to help your child learn the skills that underpin success?

Encourage your child to set a goal and plan what they need to do to achieve. For young children goals need to be simple, specific and very short term (e.g. reading for ten minutes each night for two weeks, making their bed every day for a week, improving their knowledge of specific number facts). Help them to think about what they did to achieve their goal (Ask them what steps did you take? What was hard for you to do? How do you feel now that you have managed to do it?)

Public Speaking Competition

On Wednesday 14 November, Nhi Thao from KA and Josephine from 4/3Y represented the Strathfield and Canterbury Network at the Ultimo Operational Directorate Primary Public Speaking competition Grand Final.



Congratulations to both students on your consistent hard work and preparation for both the prepared and impromptu sections of the competition. It has been wonderful to see the growth in your ability to effectively engage the audience by taking them on a journey to learn, imagine, discover and dream.

We look forward to another successful year of Public Speaking at Strathfield South Public School in 2019.

Miss G. Leva
Public Speaking Coordinator

Peer Support BBQ

The Peer Support BBQ will be held on Thursday 29th November at 12pm to celebrate the wonderful work of our Stage 3 students in leading Peer Support this year. Please ensure the notes for this are returned as soon as possible. We are seeking Year 5 and 6 parent helpers for food preparation, cooking, serving and clean up on the day, even if only for an hour between 10:30am-2:30pm. Please contact Kerry 0408 119 187 or Jo 0408 832 966 if you can help.

Stage 3 Travel Project

During the next three weeks, Stage 3 students will be completing a Travel Project in Community Languages. Students will prepare a presentation to outline their plans for a trip to Italy, China or Korea! They will work in teams with this scenario: Plan a trip to Italy/China/Korea for one month this January!

Students have been given a marking rubric which includes interesting content and information, organisation, graphics and travel language. As global citizens, the project aims to deepen the students' cultural awareness, acceptance and understanding.

Buon Viaggio Stage 3!
Community Language Teachers

Student Stationery Packs for 2019

The school is again offering parents/carers the opportunity to purchase stationery items needed for 2019. This year the company is **OfficeMax** and the instruction sheet is one of the attachments to the Scene.

Scripture

A Combined Christian Scripture service will be held in the school hall on Thursday, 22 November. This will be run by the Protestant, Catholic and Orthodox scripture teachers and all children from these denominations will be attending. A note went home last week for you to sign if you wish your child not to attend this service. The times are below:

K-2 service - 9.05 – 9.55am

3-6 service - 10.00 – 10.55am

Scripture classes will continue as normal until 6 December.

Community Carols Night

Families and friends, you're invited to join us on the field, 4 December from 5pm – 7:30pm to sing, eat and be merry whilst being entertained by your very own children! There will be lucky door prizes to win and a special visit from Santa! We will also be collecting Christmas presents for the **Reverse Christmas Tree** – this is an opportunity for you to donate a gift to a family in need. The **Salvation Army** will collect and deliver these presents to children who are less fortunate. **What to do:** Buy a small gift for a boy or girl of a particular age. Wrap the present and attach a gift card for example,



Merry Christmas – Boy aged 7

What is a FETE?

➤ A public function, typically held outdoors and organised to raise funds for a charity, including entertainment and the sale of goods and refreshments eg: "a school fete"

gala, gala day, garden party, bazaar,
synonyms: fair, feast, festival, fiesta, jubilee, pageant, carnival, funfair.

The Great Fete - 2019! Sign Up by clicking here <https://goo.gl/forms/myJplhdZSXoqQGCL2>

Strathfield South Public School 'Great Fete' occurs every second year and it is the largest of all our fundraising initiatives. Our next Fete will occur on

SATURDAY 3RD AUGUST 2019.
HOW EXCITING!!

Our School Staff and P&C community work tirelessly to put on a Fete of such a grand scale. To ensure we maintain this impressive standard we begin to plan as early as possible during our non-Fete year.

The volunteer sign up link will assist the school to determine the size of the Fete.

<https://goo.gl/forms/myJplhdZSXoqQGCL2>

Go on, get involved!
You know you want to!!!

Looking forward to seeing you all there...with bells on!!

Mrs B Hamilton
Deputy Principal

Statement of Accounts

Term 4 Statement of Accounts have been emailed to the email address that is on record in the office. The email address that is held is used by the school for various important communications with our parent/carers. If you do not receive the Statement at the beginning of each term or you do not receive The Scene on a weekly basis, please contact the school.

The school App can be used for updating the email address, or email the school on strathfies-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au, write a note, or call us on 9642 1359.

The department email system is not always user friendly with any Yahoo address so if you have Yahoo as your provider, can you please sign up to another free service and inform us.

Uniform Shop

There has been a slight increase of prices in some of the uniform items.

Also the Skort (shorts that look like a skirt) has arrived for girls and very soon the new school hat will be available. Please find the new price list in the attachments.



Uniform Shop

Opening hours:
MONDAY 2:30pm
– 4:00pm

SWAP HAT 'n GO!!! Yes you can still swap!

Here's a chance to **SWAP** your old hat for new one at no cost! Just take your old hat to the uniform shop on Monday afternoon and swap it for a new one! It's that easy! Limited stock available.

Year 6 Farewell

We are looking forward to the Year 6 Farewell on Monday 17 December 2018.

Please let us know if you can help with collecting and returning a helium balloon bottle for the farewell. For the night we also need 7m of indoor fairy lights, a projector and screen, please let us know if you have any of these that we can borrow. The deadline for photos for the presentation day is now past.

Please contact the school if you can assist.

Year 6 Mini Fete – for STUDENTS ONLY

The upcoming Year 6 Mini Fete will be on Tuesday 27 November, and will be a fantastic day for students to participate in a variety of fun games and activities. Students in K-5 are encouraged to bring about \$8-\$10 in coins and all funds raised to purchase a gift to the school from the 2018 Year 6 cohort. The Mini Fete commences at 11:30am and will continue until approximately 1:00pm.

School Banking

Tuesday is Banking day. Please note that Banking will be located beside the staffroom during Kinergarten Orientation.



Apologies to all Dollarmite community, due to problems with CBA despatch centre, we are experiencing shortages of rewards. Hopefully, the backlog of rewards will arrive this week. Thank you for your patience.

Don't forget, if you are running late, drop your deposit book into the wheelie bin located next to the rewards table.

Please see attachment for **Dollarmite classroom Challenge Leaderboard**.

Questions regarding Permission Notes

When students leave the grounds of the school on an excursion or sport event – a Permission Note **MUST BE SIGNED**.

When students attend an incursion (staying at school) a Permission Note is **NOT REQUIRED**.

School Payments

Online payment method –

1. Go to www.strathfies-p.schoolsnsw.edu.au
2. Select Make a payment
3. Follow the prompts. NOTE: only the fields marked with a **GREEN (*)** are mandatory.

OR: cash or cheque (SSPS) in an envelope with the child's name, class and what the payment is for into the fees box annexed to the brick wall outside the office.

Reporting Student Absences and Change of Address

Another good reason to download the SSPS School App: Student absences online via the School App – simply select: "Forms" from the Home Tabs and complete all fields with an "*"

How to get the SSPS School App

Search the Apps Store for "Strathfield South Public School" download the Free App

Username: community

Password: strathfieldstpps

School Uniforms

There are still many students not wearing their correct school uniform each day. A reminder that sport shoes are only to be worn with sports uniform and black school shoes with white socks for girls and grey socks for boys with the regular school uniform. Please ensure school jackets are worn and all items are labelled.



FUTURE EVENTS

November

19	P&C
20	Kindergarten 2019 Orientation
22	Christian Combined Scripture
27	Year 6 Mini Fete K-6 11:00am-1:00pm
29	Peer Support BBQ

December

3	String Ensemble Concert 2-3pm
3	All bands concert 6pm - DIM
4	Community Carols
6	Last Scripture Day
6	Parent Helper Morning Tea
10	3-6 Academic Presentation Day
11	K-2 Presentation Day
12	Yr 3-6 Sport & CA Presentation Morning
13	K-2 End of Year Picnic
14	K-2 Talent Show
14	Yr 3-6 End of Year Picnic
17	Year 6 Farewell Dinner
17	P&C
18	3-6 Talent Show
19	Last Day for students

January 2019

29	Student Free Day
30	First Day Year 1 – 6

FEBURARY

4	First Day 2019 Kindergarten
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KOREAN

11 월

19	학부모회
20	2019 유치부 오리엔테이션
22	기독교 합동 스크립처
27	6학년 기념 학생장터 K-6 11 시에서 1 시까지
29	피어 서포트 바비큐

12 월

3	올 밴드 음악회 오후 6 시
3	현악 앙상블 워크샵& 콘서트 - DIM
4	케를의 밤
6	마지막 종교수업
6	학부모 자원봉사자를 위한 모닝티
10	3-6학년 프레젠테이션 모닝
11	유치부-2학년 프레젠테이션 모닝
12	3-6학년 스포츠& 씨에이 프레젠테이션 모닝
13	유치부-2학년 학년말 피크닉
14	유치부-2학년 탈렌트 쇼
14	3-6학년 학년말 피크닉
17	6학년 페어웰 저녁
17	학부모회의
18	3-6학년탈렌트 쇼
19	학년 마지막날

1 월

29	교사회의
30	1- 6학년 개학일

2 월

4	2019년 유치부 개학일
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CHINESE

November

19	P&C 会议
20	2019 学前班介绍日
22	基督徒宗教课
27	六年级 Mini Fete, 开始时间: 早晨 11 点至下午一点
29	Peer support 烧烤日

December

3	弦乐队音乐会
3	晚上六点 DIM 乐队音乐会 - DIM
4	圣诞晚会
6	最后一节宗教课
6	家长志愿者早茶会
10	三到六年级颁奖日
11	学前班到二年级颁奖日
12	三到六年级体育和文艺颁奖日
13	学前班到二年级野餐日
14	k-2 才艺秀
14	三到六年级野餐日
17	六年级告别晚餐
17	P&C 会议
18	3-6 才艺秀
19	第四学期最后一天

January 2019

29	学生假日
30	第一学期第一天

February

4	学前班第一天
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Canteen Term4 Week 6

Summer PSSA Team

To ensure PSSA teams receive early lunch orders please update your Summer PSSA team in Munchmonitor as soon as possible.

- **New Summer Menu is on for Term 4: Please check the new Summer Menu for Term 4 and Term 2018.** Winter menu items such as: Mashed Potatoes, Manouch, and Korma Veg Curry with Rice are **NOT** available in this term.
 - * **Rice Paper Roll (Vegetarian or Chicken) \$2.20/each** with vermicelli noodle, carrot, lettuce, cucumber, mint leaves, and fish sauce is on Tuesday.
 - * **Sushi \$3.50** (Vegetarian; Teriyaki Chicken & Cucumber; Tuna & Cucumber) is on Tuesday and Friday.
 - * **Garden Salad Box / Salad Wraps** with your own choice of Cheese/ Ham/ Chicken/ Eggs or Tuna.

Important Reminder: For Year 6 students leaving this year (except students with siblings in other years at SSPS) please use all money in your MunchMonitor account and close it before end of the year.

Helper Needed--Can you help?

Our **canteen** is operated by the P&C and **needs volunteers** so we can prepare fresh food and keep prices low. If you have a few hours once a week or even just once a term, we would love to hear from you. **No experience is necessary.** Please come to the canteen and put your name on the roster. Your help will be greatly appreciated by the students, parents and staff.

Canteen Roster:

Date	Helpers	Time
Tuesday 20 Nov	Joanne Khodary, Suzie Saba, Phultusi Chaudhusi	9-2pm
Wednesday 21 Nov	Paheerathi Uthayaseelan, Tanya Houchar	9-2pm
Thursday 22 Nov	Liza Ko, Rani Coleman, Rania	11-2pm 9-11am 1-2pm
Friday 23 Nov	Joanne Khodary, Suzie Saba	9-2pm
Monday 26 Nov	Suzie Saba, Paheerathi Uthayaseelan	9-2pm

Canteen Manager

HuiChing Su Baruah

Strathfield South Public School

Chess Championship Entry Form - 2018



Wednesday 28th November

9:15am - 12:50pm

Cost: \$17.50



This tournament will be run as a Swiss, with approximately 6-7 games.

This means that all children play in all the rounds and no one is knocked out.

There will be **trophies** awarded for the highest 3 scorers, and **medals** presented as age prizes.

Each child playing will also receive a participation certificate.

There will also be encouragement awards, depending on the number of entries.

To enter please go to

www.sydneyacademyofchess.com.au/payment

and pay online with your credit card using

the code **GNJ686DIPM** and fill in the electronic form, with your child's details.



OPTIONAL EXTRAS (prices include delivery)

To enhance your child's learning experience these items are available for purchase online at the time of registration

Workbook 1 – Cost: \$30 [For Beginner/Rookie Players]	Workbook 2 – Cost: \$30 [For Intermediate Players]	Workbook 1 & 2 – Cost: \$45 [SPECIAL OFFER]
Exploration in Chess Beauty – Cost: \$41 [For Advanced Players]	Chess Set & Roll-up Board – Cost: \$33 [Recommended for All Ages]	Chess Clock – Cost: \$76 [Recommended for All Ages]



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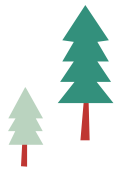
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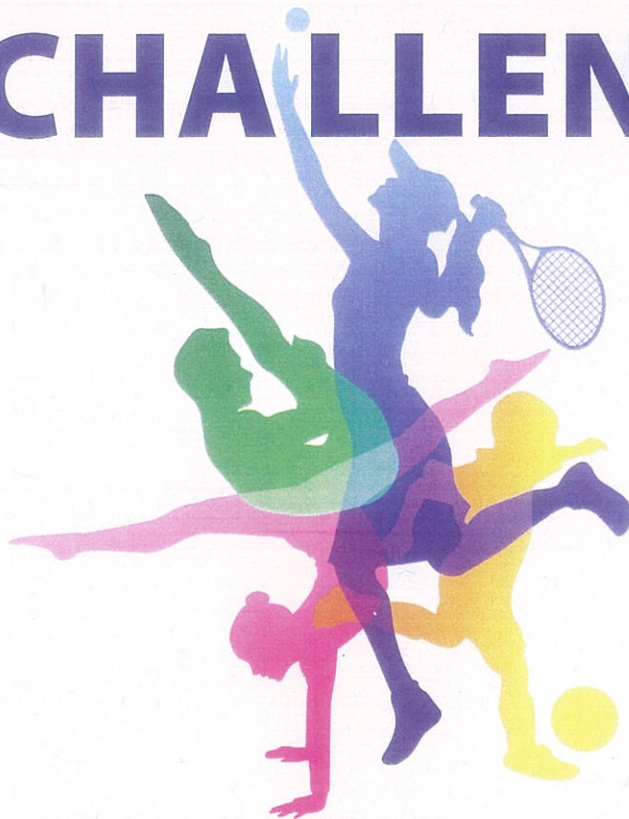


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2018 NSW PREMIER'S SCHOOL
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CHALLENGE**



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- Jasmine Cho (STATE WINNER)
- Katey Kim
- Aileen Kim (SSPS)
- Yehna Jeong
- Joshua Kim

2018 Harmony Day Competition Winners



SSPS T-BLOCK Friday ART CLASS



2018 PRC Words & Art State Winner: Ivy Kim
Author R.A. Spratt will visit SSPS



2018 Young Archie Finalist: Esther Kim (SSPS)
Friday Art Class Student

2019 Enrol Now! ★ All Local School students can Enroll
Scholarships will be awarded for talented artists when the term is over!

WED		THU	FRI	
Creative Art Class K-Y2	Intensive Art Class Y3-6	Music Theory K-Y6 Small Group All different levels of grade	Creative Art Class K-Y2	Intensive Art Class Y3-6
3:15pm~4:45pm	3:15pm~4:45pm	3:15pm~4:15pm	3:15pm~4:45pm	3:15pm~4:45pm
Preparing competitions Basic drawing skills Creative drawing Portfolios	Preparing competitions Basic / Intensive skills Creative drawing Portfolios	AMEB, All grade, EXAM will be at SSPS after learning AMEB theory & musicianship	Preparing competitions Basic drawing skills Creative drawing Portfolios	Preparing competitions Basic / Intensive skills Creative drawing Portfolios

Early Bird Offer (Until Term 4 Week 9)
New Students : \$250 for 10 Classes
Re-enrolment : \$220 for 10 Classes
Otherwise \$30 per lesson

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K~Y6 All 1hour 30mins Art CLASS
K~Y6 All 1hour Music Theory CLASS

Congratulation!! 2018 OPERATION ART & KOREAN PERFORMANCE CONTEST

OPERATION ART 2018

- ★ Edward Choi (SSPS) Year 5 | TOURING TOP 50
- ★ Audry Choi (SSPS) Year 2 | TOURING TOP 50
- ★ Ivy Kim (SSPS) Year 4 | ART BANK SPECIAL AWARD
- ★ Jenny Li (SSPS) Year 1 | OPERATION ART



Swenna Jeong's Artwork used for Operation Art 2018 Main Signage & Catalogue

STAR HOUSE's Great Results in 2018! ★

KOREAN PERFORMANCE CONTEST 2018

- Junior**
- 1st PLACE | Christine Park Year 6
 - 1st PLACE | Grace Lee Year 2
 - 2nd PLACE | Jenny Li (SSPS) Year 1
 - 3rd PLACE | Esther Kim (SSPS) Year 4
 - 3rd PLACE | Ivy Kim (SSPS) Year 4
 - 3rd PLACE | Alexis Jeong (SSPS) Year 3

Senior 3rd PLACE | William Chae Year 9



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Strathfield South Public School Student Packs

Strathfield South Public School - 2019

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ORDERING PACKS ONLINE

1. Go to www.kookaburra.com.au/login (you do not need to register).
2. Enter User Name: **STRAT022** (The first 5 characters are letters and the last 3 characters are numbers)
Enter Password: **Student9**
3. Select Student Packs.
4. Select your student's 2019 Year Level.
5. Add the quantity next to products required by your child, in the "Quantity" box.
6. Once you have added all items required, click "Add selected items to cart".
7. If you have another child to shop for, select their 2019 year level from the drop down and add their items to your cart.
8. When you've finished shopping for your child/ren, click on the cart icon in the header to go to the cart and complete your order.
9. Review your cart, then click "Continue to Checkout".
10. Select a Delivery Method from the drop-down and complete your delivery details.

Note: Please ensure someone will be available to receive the goods at time of delivery. All home deliveries require a signature, unless you have provided an Authority to Leave (ATL). Please be advised that once an ATL has been provided, Kookaburra can only guarantee delivery and quality up to the point that the track and trace advises us that the goods were left for you in the place indicated on your ATL.

11. Complete your child/rens names under "Student Information".
12. Add your phone number.
13. Click "Continue to Payment".
14. Select your payment method and click "Process Payment".
15. You will be emailed an order confirmation.

Your order has now been placed with Kookaburra. If you have any queries, please contact our Customer Experience Team support@kookaburra.com.au

PLEASE NOTE:

- * The cut-off date for all orders is 13th December 2018 for delivery by 22nd January 2019.
- * Orders received after 13th December 2018 may not be delivered prior to Term 1 2019. Additional fees and charges may apply.
- * All orders are Firm Sale (i.e. non-returnable).